MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 3, 2022

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Commissioners

VIA: James Slaton, City Manager

FROM: Mark J. Bennett, Development Services Director

Autumn Cochella, Assistant Development Services Director

SUBJECT: Resolution 2022-12 – Support of the Regional Community Council's efforts

to advocate for transportation improvements.

SYNOPSIS: The proposed Resolution will demonstrate the City of Lake Wales' support of the Regional Community Council's efforts to advocate for transportation improvements on Thompson Nursery Road and County Road 653.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Commission adopt Resolution 2022-12.

BACKGROUND

In recent meetings with the Lake Ashton Community Action Committee, staff has been made aware that a group, called the Regional Community Council, has been formed. This group, which is comprised of representatives from the numerous developments in the Thompson Nursery Road/County Road 653, has organized to advocate for transportation improvements in this area.

The Council will soon appear before the Board of County Commissioners to advocate for transportation improvements in the Thompson Nursery Road/County Road 653 area. In conjunction with this request, the Lake Ashton Community Action Committee has requested support from the City of Lake Wales. To demonstrate support for these group's efforts, Resolution 2202-12 is proposed.

OTHER OPTIONS

Decline to approve the Resolution.

FISCAL IMPACT

None.

ATTACHMENTS

Resolution 2022-12